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Wendy R. Dixon
EIS Project Manager, M/S 010
U.S. Department of Energy
Office of Civilian Radioactive Management
Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Office
P.O. Box 30307
North Las Vegas, Nevada 89036-0307

Dear Ms. Dixon:

Enclosed is a copy of a resolution passed by the Fenton Board of Aldermen on January 19, 2000 stating their opposition to shipments of nuclear waste through the State of Missouri and on the roadways and railways surrounding Fenton as proposed by the U.S. Department of Energy.

We appreciate the opportunity to comment and would like to be kept apprised of this issue.

Very truly yours,

CITY OF FENTON

Claire Pyne/CMC
City Clerk

Enclosure

cc: Mayor Fran Ruzicka
Board of Aldermen
Governor Mel Carnahan
Senator John Ashcroft
Senator Christopher Bond
Representative Jim Talent

Sponsor: Fenton Board of Aldermen

**A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF FENTON OPPOSING
THE SHIPMENT OF NUCLEAR WASTE THROUGH THE
STATE OF MISSOURI AND ON THE ROADWAYS AND
RAILWAYS SURROUNDING THE CITY OF FENTON.**

WHEREAS, the City of Fenton is a fourth-class municipality located in St. Louis County, Missouri; and

WHEREAS, Fenton city officials are committed to the safety of their residents and the business community; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Energy is holding public hearings on a proposed plan for the transportation of nuclear waste through the State of Missouri to Yucca Mountain in Nevada; and

WHEREAS, the proposed transportation routes are heavily trafficked with usually some form of construction or repair occurring on these roadways; and

WHEREAS, it appears the plan exposes the public to substantial health risks.

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**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF
THE CITY OF FENTON, ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The City of Fenton opposes the shipment of nuclear waste through the State of Missouri and on the roadways and railways surrounding the City of Fenton.

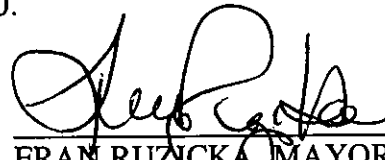
Section 2. The City of Fenton opposes any plan which does not have the approval of the local governments affected.

Section 3. The City of Fenton urges our United States Senators, the Governor of the State of Missouri, our congressmen and other state officials to consider the serious threat to public health and safety posed by the proposed plan.

Section 4. The City Clerk is directed to mail copies of this resolution to Wendy R. Dixon, EIS Project Manager, M/S 010, U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Civilian Radioactive Management, Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Office, P.O. Box 30307, North Las Vegas, NV 89036-0307 and to the other government officials named in Section 3 of this resolution.

PASSED unanimously by the Board of Aldermen this 19th day of January, 2000.

APPROVED this 19th day of January, 2000.



FRAN RUZICKA, MAYOR

ATTEST:



City Clerk